

IASA CONFERENCE 2009
28 September – 2 October 2009
Central University of Technology, Bloemfontein
Free State Province

Library and Information Services on the Move

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME OUTLINE [version 1b 25 June 2009]
(This programme is subject to change).

Sunday 27 September 2009

09:00-11:00	Exco Meeting
11:30-17:00	Representative Council meeting
14:00-19:00	Registration

Monday 28 September 2009

14:00-17:00 Registration

09:00-17:00	Pre -Conference Workshops and CICD Training Sessions
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Tuesday 29 September 2009

07:00-16:00 Registration

9:00-10:00	<i>Newcomers Session</i> For all first-Time conference delegates	Chair: Naomi Haasbroek
	New LIASA Members Session	Chair: Ujala Satgoor
10:00-10:30	Tea/Coffee/Networking Opportunity	

10:30-12:30	Session 1: Plenary Opening Session	Chair: Ms Naomi Haasbroek, LIASA President-Elect
10:30-11:00	Singing of National Anthem <i>Opening ceremony</i>	
11:00-11:10	Welcome by L Organising Committee	Dora Ackerman (TBC)
11:10-11:20	Welcome	Ms Rachel More, President of LIASA
11:20-11:30	Opening of Conference	Ms Lulu Xingwana Minister, DAC (TBC)
11:30-12:15	Keynote Address	Prof Jonathan Jansen (TBC)

12:15-14:00	Official opening of exhibitions & exhibitors lunch/networking	Ms Rachel More
14:00-15:30	Session 2: Plenary	Chair: Ms Rachel More, LIASA President
14:00-14:30	Title to be confirmed	Ms Ellen Tise, IFLA President
14:30-14:50	Changing societies need innovative libraries	Ms Barbara Lison, Germany
14:50- 15:10	Discussion and questions Transformation of LIS in South Africa	
15:10-15:30	The role of NCLIS in transforming the LIS sector	Prof. Ralebipi-Simela
15:30-16:00	Tea/Coffee/Exhibitions/Networking Exco/Representative Council meet with Councillors, NCLIS and DAC (Private Tea)	
16:00-16:20	Achievements of the library recapitalization project/conditional grants	Mr Puleng Kekana
16:20-16:40	The Transformation Charter – the way forward	Prof Nkondo
16:40-17:00	The role of the National Library in the transformation of LIS	Mr John Tsebe
17:00-18:00	Panel Discussion	Chair: S Molawa
18:30	Welcome function	

Wednesday 30 September 2009

07:30-16:00 Registration:

08:30-10:00	Parallel Interest Group Sessions: AGMs	
10:00-10:30	Tea Break/Exhibition/Networking	
10:30-12:30	IG Parallel Sessions	
12:30-13:30	Tea Break/Exhibition/Networking	
13:30-15:30	Parallel Sessions	
16:00	Buses depart for Walkathon on Naval Hill	

Thursday 1 October 2009

07:30-16:00 Registration:

08:30-10:15	Session 12 Plenary New directions for LIASA & libraries in SA	Chair: TBC
08:30-09:05	Statutory status of Library Associations – the Nigerian experience	Ms Victoria Okoje
09:05-09:25	Report on the way forward for LIASA and its statutory status	Mr Reggie Raju
09:25-09:45	Libraries for the future: ideas of premises and functions	Ms Saarah Ihamaki, Finland
09:45-10:00	Questions and discussion	
10:00-10:30	Tea/Coffee/Exhibitions /Networking	
10:30-12:30	Session 13: Plenary	
10:30-10:50	Creating spaces: libraries as facilitators for the transformation of the South African Society	Dr Gavin Davis
10:50-11:30	Transforming library and information services for the future: the conditional grant	T Khani
11:30-12:00	Discussion and questions	
12:00-12:30	Session 14: Plenary Financial Statements Review & Question Session	Chair: K Kitching
12:30-13:30	Lunch/Exhibitions/Networking	
13:30-15:30	Session 15: Plenary AGM	Chair: R More
15:30-16:00	Tea/Coffee/Exhibitions/Networking	
16:00-17:30	Session 15: Plenary AGM Continues	
19:00	Gala Dinner and Awards Ceremony	

Friday 2 October 2009

08:30-10:00	Session 16: Plenary ICT developments & its impact on LIS	Chair: TBC
08:30-09:05	Cyberinfrastructure: opportunities and challenges for libraries in South Africa	Dr Khomotso Kganyago
09:05-09:25	Expectations of Library clients – taking the library to the clients	Mr Hatang(TBC)
09:25-09:45	Mobile phones as learning devices in Africa: opportunity and challenges for digital content for the students on the move.	Dr Buhle Mbambo-Thata
09:45-10:05	Paper on mobile technology	TBC
10:05-10:30	Discussion and questions	
10:30-11:00	Tea/Coffee/Exhibitions/Networking	
11:00-12:00	Session 15: Plenary	Chair: TBC
11:00-11:20	Web 2.0 (title to be confirmed)	
11:20-11:40	Title to be confirmed	
11:40-12:00	Discussion and Questions	
12:00-12:30	Closure	Ms Rachel More, LIASA President
12:30-13:30	Lunch for Representative Council and Local Organising Committee	
13:30-15:30	2 nd Representative Council meeting	